

Charles Felt

By Russell Felt

Charles Felt was staying with Aunt Nina Herron, his sister, in her home next door west of the Maverick. He passed away there and is buried in the Lehi Cemetery. He was a tall stately looking man. While freighting in a wagon with a team from Ibapah to Cherry Creek Nevada, he and a partner were stopped by bandits. One intended killing them but the other said to leave Charles alone, he was a good man and they went on their way safely. The only money Charles had was in his boot and not taken.

Charles was born in Sweden and immigrated with his family. They lived in Grantsville, When John Felt entered polygamy and moved his families to Huntsville, Charles was old enough to go on his own and he ended up in Ibapah ranching. His U.S. citizenship is still on the wall of the ranch house. George Tripp has two daughters married and living there across the entry road to the ranch.

Charles Felt, b.21 Nov 1844 Kyrkofalla, Skaraborg, Sweden, d. 23 Dec 1939, Lehi, Utah, m. Rachel Matilda Ferguson 12 Dec 1871, Ibapah, Utah